

Coming Up At OSL



You are Invited to Share Your Musical Gifts!

Attention musicians! Our Savior's has openings in all of our music teams. Our Savior's Choir, Celebrate Band, Bells of Our Savior's, Cantors, and Instrumentalists are wonderful ways to share your musical gifts in worship ministry. All are welcome and you can give any of these teams a try at your convenience. To get more information contact Gene LeVasseur, our Director of Worship or call the Church Office at 605-336-2942.

Church Directory Volunteers

OSL is putting together a new church directory and you are invited to help us! Contact the Church Office if you would be willing to offer your skills to finish up the directory work and show other members how to update their information.

We could use volunteers before and after worship services and/or a few hours during the week. Sign up [here](#), at the Welcome Desk, or call the Church Office 605-336-2942.

Church Directory Volunteers

September 17th | Violin and Viola Day

Augustana Orchestra along with their Violin and Viola Day students will perform an evening concert at Our Savior's Lutheran Church to conclude this year's Violin Viola Day. All are invited to join us for a wonderful concert at OSL at 5pm on Thursday, September 17th!

September 20th | Outside Our Walls Forum

Outside Our Walls is excited to welcome Lisa Cohen from Luther Seminary to Our Savior's on **Sunday, September 20th at 10am**. If you or someone you know is interested in learning more about our ELCA seminaries, the importance of a seminary education, how students are placed, tuition or anything else, please bring your questions and join us between services in the Friendship Room.

September 18th | Augustana Chapel Rededication

On Friday, September 18th, Augustana University will dedicate their newly renovated and expanded Chapel of Reconciliation. All are invited to join the worship and dedication service at 10am. Learn more and RSVP at augie.edu/chapelrsvp

September 19th | Augustana Football Faith Day

Discounted tickets are offered for members of faith communities to attend the Augustana football game on Saturday, September 19th at 1:00pm. Enjoy a pre-game tailgating experience with the Augustana GOD POD. Purchase tickets at: goaugie.com/faithday

Supporting Susan B. Anthony Staff

We are excited to continue partnering with Susan B. Anthony (SBA) by supporting the staff who go above and beyond in their classrooms! Stop by the Library and scan the QR code on one of the apples so see a list of items from Amazon on the teacher's wish list! All items purchased can be returned to the Library for delivery to SBA!

Augustana Campus Cupboard & Campus Closet

As a new school year begins for Augustana students, we are excited to continue our partnership with Augustana's Campus Cupboard and Campus Closet! Help us serve students with necessary food and clothing items by dropping off nonperishable foods, hygiene items and warm clothes at OSL.

Pick up a flyer at a kiosk to see how you can help us make sure all Augustana students are well cared for this school year!

Sunday School Registration

Sunday School at OSL began September 13th! If your child is attending Sunday School and has not been registered this year, please take a moment to register your child(ren) birth-5th grade. We ask families to register each year so we have the most up-to-date contact, allergy, and family information.

Sunday School Registration

National Youth Gathering Meeting

Calling all current 8th–12th graders and their parents! Join us on **Wednesday, September 23rd at 7:00PM** in the Hub to learn more about the 2027 ELCA National Youth Gathering in Minneapolis! We'll spend the first 15 minutes together with youth and parents to share the basics, dates, and what to expect. Then, youth can head to Youth Group while parents stay for more details and time for questions.

It's Not Too Late to Join Kids Club!

Kids Club has officially started, but registration is still open! Kids Club meets Wednesdays from 3:30-5:30 PM for children Preschool–5th grade. Each week includes music, art or gym, Bible stories, activities, snacks, and lots of opportunities to build relationships with kids and adults of all ages.

Register for Kids Club!

September 26th | OSL Women's Retreat

Women of all ages are invited to join us on Saturday, September 26th, from 9:30am-3pm! We will spend the day sharing the light between us through story and song. RVSP by September 21st at the Welcome Desk, call the Church Office 605-336-2942, or [sign up here!](#)

Suggested donation of \$15 to cover lunch. Childcare provided, please indicate the age(s) of children attending.



Women's Retreat

Glimpses of the Light Between Us



Saturday, September 26th 9:30am-3pm

Our Savior's Lutheran Church

Women of all ages are invited to join us! Invite your friends!
(Childcare provided.)

RSVP at the Welcome Desk or call the Church Office at 605-336-2942
by September 21st with a suggested donation of \$15 to cover lunch.

Bible Study: Beyond The Surface

You are invited to join Pastor Michael for his next Bible Study: Beyond The Surface! Throughout this year, each three-week conversation will explore one question that helps us move beyond the surface and discover a richer, deeper faith. In our first three-week session, we'll discuss "The Heart of God" on Tuesdays at 7pm and Thursdays at 11am, **beginning September 22nd and 24th**. Sign up online or at the Welcome Desk, or just come when it works for you!

Sign Up: Tuesdays at 7pm

Sign Up: Thursdays at 11am

September 22 | The Greater Good

You are invited to join us on Tuesday, September 22nd at 12pm in the Gathering Place at OSL for another wonderful panel of speakers at The Greater Good Speaking Event!

- Nancy Halverson, President and CEO of Levitt at the Falls
- Rev. Dr. Dennis Thum, retired Chaplain at University of Sioux Falls
- Kadyn Wittman, Community Advocate
- Ronald J. Place, M.D., President and CEO of Avera McKennan Hospital and University Health Center

Have Some Extra Shoes?

Drop off gently used men's, women's, or children's shoes to donate to the P.E.O. shoe drive before September 27th. There is a box by the donation bins, or you can bring them to the Church Office. The shoes will be given to people all around the world!

September 24 | Food To You Distribution

You are invited to join us on **Thursday, September 24th at 4:30pm** to serve at the Food To You Distribution at St John's Lutheran Church. This is a great opportunity for all ages to care for our community together in a tangible way.

Sign up at the Welcome Desk or call the Church Office 605-336-2942 if you would like to volunteer with OSL.

September 27th | Creation Care Forum

Creation Care Presents: Pollinators in Your Garden! Join us in the Friendship Room at 10am on Sunday, September 27. Joyce Kaatz is a noted monarch butterfly aficionado and author who will give tips on creating a welcoming habitat for pollinators. There will be time for discussion and questions. The Creation Care Team is delighted to sponsor this program.

September 27th | Augustana Choir & Bach Collegium

OSL is excited to host the next Augustana Choir & Bach Collegium on Sunday, September 27th at 7pm. The fall concert theme is *Be Still and Know*. Everyone is invited to join us for an evening of incredible music at OSL. Tickets are available for purchase on Augustana's website, click the link below!

Purchase Tickets Here!



BE STILL AND KNOW

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 2026, 7PM | OUR SAVIOR'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

909 W 33RD ST, SIOUX FALLS, SD 57105

AUGUSTANA BACH COLLEGIUM

David Chin, Speaker and Conductor

Herz und Mund und Tat und Leben

(Heart and mouth and deed and life), BWV 147

by Johann Sebastian Bach

AUGUSTANA CHOIR

Russell Svenningsen, Conductor

Music by Pärt, Sateren, Clausen, Byrd, and others



TICKETS: GA - \$20

Seniors - \$15

AU - Free w/ID

September 27th | Egypt 2027 Interest Meeting

Interested in learning more about our upcoming journey to Egypt? Join Pastor Michael for a brief 45-minute information meeting on **September 27th at 12pm** in the Friendship Room. We will discuss the itinerary, travel logistics, costs, and what makes this pilgrimage unique. There will be plenty of time for questions, and no commitment is required. If you've been thinking about the trip, or just want to see if it's right for you, this is the perfect opportunity to learn more. Sign up at the Welcome Center or [RSVP here](#).

New Member Class

Interested in becoming a member? Want to know more about Our Savior's? Sign up at the Welcome Desk, click the link below, or contact the Church Office at 605-336-2942, and join us at 10am between worship services in October.

October 11th: Getting to know you - led by Pastor Tim

October 18th: Church Identity - led by Pastor Michael

October 25th: Tour of ministry areas

November 1st: New Member Recognition (all services)

[Sign Up Here](#)

[Friendship Club | October 6th](#)

You're invited to join us for Friendship Club on October 6th at 11:00 AM for a presentation by an educator with Alzheimer's Association of South Dakota. The education topic is "Understanding Alzheimer's and Dementia." This is a great opportunity to learn, ask questions and share your own experiences with Alzheimer's disease and Dementia. Lunch will follow the presentation at 12:00 PM. We hope to see you there!

FRIENDSHIP CLUB

**TOPIC:
UNDERSTANDING
ALZHEIMER'S AND
DEMENTIA**



**Join us October 6th, in The
Friendship Room for a presentation
by Alzheimer's Association of SD.
Presentation at 11:00 AM
Lunch at 12:00 PM.**



Let's put our creation stewardship into action! On Sunday, October 11, we will join with the Friends of the Big Sioux River to do a cleanup of the river banks at Spencer Park at 1:30 PM. Be sure to wear closed-toe shoes and long sleeves and pants are encouraged. Supplies will be provided. All are welcome! Sign up **here!**

[Augustana Hockey Parking](#)

You are invited to volunteer with OSL at our Augustana Hockey Parking Fundraisers for the 2026-2027 season! This is a great way for all ages to serve together and help raise funds for OSL programs and partner organizations.

Check out the list of dates and organizations below and sign up to serve at OSL!

Sign Up Here!

Hockey Parking Fundraiser Schedule

Date:	Time:	Organization:
Friday, October 9	5:30pm-7:30pm	Pine Ridge
Saturday, October 10	4:30pm-6:30pm	Pine Ridge
Thursday, October 15	Time TBA	Sunday School
Friday, October 30	5:30pm-7:30pm	Food To You
Saturday, October 31	4:30pm-6:30pm	Food To You
Friday, November 13	5:30pm-7:30pm	Sioux Falls Cares
Saturday, November 14	4:30pm-6:30pm	Creation Care
Friday, December 4	5:30pm-7:30pm	VBS
Saturday, December 5	4:30pm-6:30pm	VBS
Friday, December 18	5:30pm-7:30pm	Lutheran World Relief
Saturday, December 19	4:30pm-6:30pm	Lutheran World Relief
Friday, January 8	5:30pm-7:30pm	National Youth Gathering
Saturday, January 9	4:30pm-6:30pm	National Youth Gathering
Friday, January 22	5:30pm-7:30pm	Confirmation
Saturday, January 23	4:30pm-6:30pm	Confirmation
Friday, February 12	5:30pm-7:30pm	St Dysmas
Saturday, February 13	4:30pm-6:30pm	Necessities For Neighbors
Friday, February 26	5:30pm-7:30pm	Midwest Street Medicine
Saturday, February 27	4:30pm-6:30pm	Feeding South Dakota



October 2 | Pizza Be With You

Join us on Friday, October 2 at 6 PM as we eat well and raise support for Shepherd's Table's ministry of radical hospitality.

Whether you come hungry, come ready to give, or both — you're welcome at this table.

Tickets \$75/person: theplaceforall.org/pizza

Save the date and grab a ticket for you and a friend today!



Order Your OSL Logo Wear!

OSL now has an online shirt store!

Order and pay directly through the company's website: [click here](#).

[Order OSL Shirts Here!](#)

Stephen Ministry

We all go through times in our life when we could benefit from a little care and attention. That is where a Stephen Minister can be a big help. Stephen Ministers are members of OSL who have been trained to provide confidential, one-to-one, non-judgmental, Christian care to people who are going through a difficult time. They will listen, really listen, and provide weekly support for you as long (or short) as your need persists. Our Stephen Ministers are ready to bring God's love and care into your life. Contact Pr. Tim to be matched with a Stephen Minister.

Click [here](#) to find a PDF version of the Coming Up!

Our calendar is ALWAYS up-to-date, so please click [here](#) to view it!

You can find our digital bulletins [here](#) for you to use with your mobile device, whether you worship from home or at OSL.

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